

REMARKS/ELECTION

In response to the above-noted Office Action, the Applicant elects Group 1 including claims 1-6 and 8-11 without traverse, drawn to method for simulating the loading of a shipment including constraints for a shipment and a skipping of a range of the constraint and adjusting the simulating of the loading of the shipment in response to the skipping, classified in class 705, subclass 28.

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Respectfully submitted,

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